SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 960

By Williams

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Kayla Herrell, 2008 Valedictorian of Claiborne County High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Kayla Herrell is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2008 graduating class at Claiborne County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Herrell has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Kayla has earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including the Beta Club and the Science Club, which she served as treasurer; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Herrell's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Kayla's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Glenda and Ricky Crockett, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Herrell's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2008 Claiborne County High School Valedictorian, Kayla Herrell, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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